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This Day,

Under instructions from E. C. NEUFELDER, Esq., we will sell, at 11 o'clock, a.m., without reserve, at the residence, Fort Street, near Cook,

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Black walnut reception chairs covered with brocaded and plain blue, red, and mauve colored satin; 5 o'clock fancy painted tea tables; ebony chairs; black walnut center table; black walnut Queen Ann ottoman, Turkish covering; Mahogany easy chair, brocaded covering, navy blue plush taffeta; carved oak closed rocker seat, plush covered; Japanese wicker arm chairs; ebony brackets, Brussels carpet, Turkish and Axminster rugs, Fairy lamps, bric-a-brac, ornaments, *Figured blue ornamental duplex lamp.* Pair gilt bronze candelabras. Miniature alabaster ornament of the Leaning Tower of Pisa, Cathedral and Baptistry; mantle lambrequin, anti-maccassars, crazy-work sofa cushion, Japanese placques, old gold plush seat Terra-cotta wicker chair, photograph basket, photographs celebrated actors and actresses, sage green and gold Madras curtains, ebony poles with gilt rings.

WATER COLORS AND PHOTOGRAPHS.

"THE TROUBADOURS," by J. COUTI, water colored, framed in hammered brass.
"THE INTERRUPTED PROPOSAL," by C. SOHN, JR., companion water color.
"The Greek Slave." "Yes or No."

OIL PAINTINGS.

"Sunset on Pilot Knob," Pennsylvania, by Wright.
"Winter Scene," on Silver Lake, Staten Island.
"Storm," Alleghany Mountains, Fisher.
"Lake Mackeapack."
"Queen Rapids," Michigan, by Wright.

HALL.

Brussels carpet, velvet pile door mats, whist table, "Clarence" stove. *Newest design cherry hall seat and umbrella stand, embossed leather back brass receivers and trays.* Pressed leather hat rack, with bevel plate mirror back; Japanese rattlesnake portiere, wall pocket, bracket C.O. lamp.
Old Oil Painting "The Angel's Coming."

DINING ROOM.

Paintings—"In the Gloaming," "Fishing Scene," "Vestal," by Angelica Kaufman.

Red and gold Madras curtains, ebonied poles with gilt rings and chains; fine French marble clock and glass shade; vases, buckets, lamps, Jardiner's field glass, fishing rod, gun, plated ware, cutlery, glassware, decanters, fish knife, soup ladle, plated ware, grape scissors, novel design liqueuer set. Minton ware dinner service. China tea set. Wiredictionary stand. Ash card table, desk. *Old Oak Square Dining Table, 10 feet.* Black walnut leather chairs, Turkish easy chair, book stand, lounge, easy chairs, carpets, rugs, water filter, Japanese panels, *Oak paper and envelope case.*

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The works of Dickens, Goethe, Lafontaine, Shakespeare, Scott, Hugo, Prescott, Thackeray, Cooper, Byron, Bayard Taylor, Trollope, Pope, Florian, Alice Carey, Ouida, Anstay, Black, Waverley Novels, The British Drama, Life of Charles Dickens, Good Words, Lexicon, Magazines, German Lexicon, U.S. Dispensatory, *Hayden's Popular Medicine and Hygiene.*
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C.O. stove, lamps, flower stand, choice potted plants, large wire stand for bay window.

BEDROOMS.

Brussels stair carpet, ash and black walnut bedsteads, wash stands, dressing glass, chiffonier, chairs, rockers, tables, mantle drapery, curtains, poles, rings, Ladies' dressing case, cabinets, Japanese chamber set, hand-painted splasher, pictures, carpets, rugs, fancy boxes, spring and hair mattresses, quilts, blankets, comodes, brackets, shams, extension reclining chair, toilet table with drawer and cover, mal. wardrobe, Tea party table, gilt mirror, stove.

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Cupboard, cooking utensils, tinware, crocks, meat trays, boards, preserving jars, mixing bowls.

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First-class lawn mower, garden tools, flower pots, potted roses and other plants, forcing frames, meat safe, bird cage, washtubs, ladders, barrels.

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TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE erection of a New Brick Building on the site of the old California Saloon, Johnson street, and warehouses attached. Plans and specifications may be seen, shortly, at my office, where tenders are to be sent in before noon Tuesday, the 3rd of July. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Time for receiving the above tenders has been extended to 7th July.
L. BUTTRESS TRIMEN,
je28-td Architect.

TENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE erection of a New Store on Johnson Street, for Mr. Lelaire. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders are to be sent in before noon, Monday, the 25th instant. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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Pursuant to "Execution against Lands Act, 1874."

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

The Bank of British Columbia - - Plaintiffs
A. W. Rogers - - - - - Defendant

IN obedience to a Writ of *Fi. Fa.*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 31st day of May, 1888, and to me directed in the above-named suit, for the sum of $700.01 and $8.50 for costs of execution, together with interest upon the said sum at the rate of six per cent. per annum, from the 7th day of March, 1888, besides Sheriff's fees and poundage, I have seized and will sell by public auction at the front of my office, Langley alley, in the city of Victoria, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, the lands belonging to the said A. W. Rogers, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment debt and expenses in this action.

District.	No. of Lots	Concise Description of property.	Estate or Interest.
Shawnigan.	Sec. 19, W. ½ of 17, and W. ½ 18., Range IV., containing 200 acres. Sec. 20, Range V., containing 100 acres.	House and other improvements land partially cleared and well watered.	Fee simple subject to incumbrances.

When to be sold.	Where to be sold.
Thursday, July 5, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon.	At the office of the undersigned, Langley alley in the city of Victoria.

INCUMBRANCES ON SAID LAND.

1. January 30, 1884—Mortgage to J. S. Helmcken to secure $1,500.00 on 30th January, 1886; interest at 7 per cent. per annum. Registered February 2, 1884.
2. August 6, 1885—Judgment in favor of Richard Carr, to secure $168.39 debt and costs. Registered August 14, 1885.
3. September 30, 1885—Mortgage to Richard Carr, to secure $181.68 on 10th March, 1886; interest at 8 per cent. per annum. Registered October 14, 1885.
4. January 11, 1887—Mortgage to Henry Croft and Wm. Angus, to secure $650.00 on 11th July, 1887; interest at 8 per cent. per annum. Registered February 17, 1887.
5. March 9, 1888—Judgment in favor of Bank of British Columbia for $700.01 debt and costs. Registered March 22, 1888.

The judgment herein was registered at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands, the 22nd day of March, 1888.

J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.
Dated June 28th, 1888. je28-td

AUCTION SALE.

I am instructed to sell at the Salesroom, Store Street, on

Saturday next, 30th June, at 11 a.m.

A quantity of Furniture, Clothing, Books, etc., and 1 double seated Canopy Top Buggy.

—ALSO—

1 Mare, owned by the late Meyer Bechtel, Saddle and Bridle and 3 other Horses.

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Tickets will be good on Steamer YOSEMITE leaving here for Vancouver on Sunday and Monday, July 1st and 2nd; on s. s. PREMIER leaving Vancouver for Seattle on Tuesday, July 3rd, at 2 p.m.; and returning on O. R. & N. Co.'s Steamer OLYMPIAN, leaving Seattle for Victoria not later than Saturday, July 7th.

Fare for Round Trip, $4.50.

jun20 JOHN IRVING, Manager.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The board of aldermen met last evening at 8 o'clock. Present—Mayor Grant in the chair, and Alds. Harris, Vigelius, Penwill, Styles, Kelly, Coughlan and Powell.

Minutes of previous meetings were read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From L. C. Marshall, of Toronto, asking if the board would be disposed to grant a bonus to a paint and color factory if it was established in the city, his company being willing to invest capital in such a factory to the amount of $10,000 or $12,000.

The Mayor said he had had some conversation with Mr. Marshall on this subject, and it would be as well to take the matter into consideration.

Referred to the bonus committee to report.

From Geo. Collins, complaining of an inadequate supply of water on his premises.

Ald. Harris thought the pipe was too small on Henry street to supply all the consumers there.

On motion it was decided to lay down a larger pipe as soon as possible.

From B. H. Drake on behalf of the owners of property on Belcher street, regarding bad drainage in that vicinity. Referred to street committee with power to act.

From Young Bros., complaining of the inequality of the water rates, and stating that they were charged more than others who used much more water. They would like to have a meter put in. Referred to the water committee to deal with the matter and grant the request regarding the meter.

From A. J. Smith, president of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, asking for the use of the road roller and the steam engine on the 4th July; the engine to be used in running the electric light at the picnic. Request granted.

From S. Sheown, Douglas street, stating that if compelled to raise his awning higher than it is at present the sun would injure his goods. No one had complained of its height but the city surveyor and it would cost considerable to alter it.

Ald. Styles said there were several awnings in the city not higher above the sidewalk than seven feet, and if this awning had to come down, several others should come down also, because nine feet was the required height.

Ald. Coughlan thought the nine-foot regulation only applied to verandahs, and awnings required to be lower. He was in favor of letting the matter drop.

Referred to the street committee and city surveyor.

From Fisher & Wilson, architects, asking that a sidewalk be laid in front of W. G. Cameron's new business premises on Johnson street, which were now completed.

Ald. Styles said the city carpenter had already been instructed in the matter, and the letter was, therefore, received and filed.

From Wm. Irving, making application to purchase gravel from the city gravel pits.

Communication received; Mr. Irving to be informed the city had no gravel to sell.

From Thos. Trounce, asking for street lines on his property on Quadra street. Granted.

From Richard Carr, stating that corporation workmen had injured his fence while blasting and asking that the damage be made good. Referred to street committee with power to act.

From D. W. Higgins, M. P. P., president of the B. C. Agricultural Association, informing the board that another meeting of the association would be held on Saturday next and again asking the board to donate some substantial financial aid towards making the forthcoming exhibition worthy of the city and province, especially as it was expected Lord Stanley would favor the city with his presence and perhaps be here in time to open the show.

Ald. Styles feared the city, however willing, would be unable to assist the exhibition financially this year.

Ald. Vigelius—No, nor the Jubilee hospital either.

It was suggested to refer the matter to the finance committee again.

Ald. Coughlan did not see the good of that. The city was unable to contribute anything at present, and it was better to say so at once and let the association try other means of raising funds.

A motion to this effect was carried, Mr. Higgins to be informed that the finances of the city would render it impossible to grant any aid to the society this year.

From one hundred and fifty-nine residents and property owners on Quadra, North Park, and Pioneer Streets, petitioning the board to take some steps with regard to the license recently granted D. F. Fee, complaining that a saloon in that neighbourhood was unnecessary, and would prove a nuisance to the residents in the vicinity; that petitions had previously been sent to the bench of magistrates not to grant the license, and that the people now were as much opposed to the license as when it was refused by two previous mayors when in office. That there were many young children in the neighborhood, and that a saloon established there could not fail to cause property to depreciate in the immediate vicinity.

Ald. Kelly—How many names did you say?

Clerk—One hundred and fifty-nine.

Ald. Kelly—I don't believe there are forty-nine in the whole neighborhood.

Ald. Penwill—Oh, yes; there are, and considerably more.

Ald. Coughlan moved that the petitioners be informed that the board has no power in the matter. Seconded by Ald. Kelly.

The Mayor said it was unfortunate that these people did not petition the bench at the time of granting the license. He had been blamed for not leaving the chair at the time, but he would never take such a course. He had no vote on the matter as he was chairman; but if the people did not want this license to be granted they should have taken steps to prevent it by again petitioning the bench at the proper time.

Alderman Penwill—Has the board no control over the bench of magistrates?

His worship—No. My impression is that no power can cancel the license now, unless owing to some misconduct on the part of the licensee.

The motion was then put and carried, with the recommendation that the petition be handed to the bench of magistrates who granted the license.

From Guttmann & Frank, asking for a supply of city water to the Lion brewery. Referred to water committee.

From Mrs. M. Hodge, complaining of water running into her cellar from a defective drain, and asking for damages. Referred to the water committee.

From Thomas Russell, collector, stating that Mr. Thornton Fell had applied to him for a pawnbroker's license for a Chinaman, and asking the board for instructions in the matter.

Decided that Mr. Russell was to act in accordance with the act passed at the last session of the legislature.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Penwill asked leave to introduce the bank credit by-law, No. 153. Leave granted; by-law read a first time.

Ald. Powell asked leave to introduce the new loan by-law. Leave granted.

STREETS.

The street committee's report was read and adopted.

Ald. Powell drew attention to the supply of water in James Bay, certain streets in that vicinity not being able to obtain all the water required.

A SHORTAGE.

The Mayor said the Queen's birthday celebration fund was still short about $200, and the outstanding bills should be paid.

Ald. Harris moved the amount be paid at once. Seconded and carried.

The board then adjourned.

CAPITAL NOTES.

O'Connor Power Will Sue the Editor of the Montreal "Post" for Criminal Libel.

Excellent Ammunition from the Government Cartridge Factory—Military College Residence Requirement Reduced to Three Years.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, June 27.—The government cartridge factory at Quebec have just turned out new ammunition with improved bullet. It has been tested with the most satisfactory results by marksmen, and it is believed that the source of complaint of marksmen at the rifle association match will be altogether removed.

The minister of militia is of opinion that three years' residence in Canada is sufficient to restrict the benefits of the military college to *bona fide* candidates, and on his report the term of residence of candidates has been reduced from five to three years. The change admits the sons of English army officers who have taken up residence in the Dominion.

O'Connor Power will enter a suit for criminal libel against Carroll Ryan for a villainous article published in the Montreal *Post* last week.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Minister of Justice Gone to England.

TORONTO, June 27.—Sir Alexander Campbell left yesterday for a two months' absence in England. Chief Justice Sir Thomas Galt will administer the office during his absence.

Trouble in Camp.

KINGSTON, Ont., June 27.—The hot weather had a bad effect on the health of the volunteer corps. Many were prostrated. A big review occurs on Wednesday. The caterer of the officers' mess and the commander of the camp are at loggerheads. The sale of liquor has been forbidden by Col. Von Straubenzie, but Bird seems to have been dispensing it all the same. Col. Von Straubenzie, at all events, found a quantity of liquor in camp and emptied it on the green. Bird talks of suing him for damages.

A Dynamiter in the East.

QUEBEC, June 24.—A supposed dynamiter arrived in the City of Halifax on Tuesday and left Montreal for New York. During his stay he was continually under the surveillance of the government police who took note of those with whom he had interviews. He came from Belfast, Ireland, which city he left on May 23rd.

Railway Bonds Floated.

QUEBEC, June 27.—Hector Cameron successfully floated on the London market the bonds of the Temiscouata railway.

The "Parisians" List.

The Parisian sails on Thursday morning. There is a big passenger list, including Sir Alexander Campbell and Miss Campbell, Bishop Hills, of British Columbia, Rev. Canon Elligood and R. W. Phipps.

Coming West.

MONTREAL, June 27.—Dean Carmichael, Canon Empson, William White, Q.C., and Ald. Richard White left this evening for a three weeks trip to Winnipeg and the Pacific coast.

Colored Cotton Goods.

A meeting of the colored goods section of the Canadian Cotton Goods Manufacturing Association was held to-day. Most of the mills were represented. A curtailment in manufacture was proposed, but an adjournment was made for two weeks.

It is stated on good authority that the Victoria rifles are about to purchase a Nordenfelt field gun to cost $1,300.

Remarkable Discrimination.

A sensation is caused by the development of the fact that the stone cutters union of this city discriminates against old country men by making them pay an admission fee of $50, while French Canadians are admitted on payment of $5. The old country men have got no recource and must pay or cannot get work.

Corrig School will open in the CITY after the Summer vacation. *1m

The highest cash prices paid for ladies and gent's new and cast-off clothing. Note—Address S. Cooness, second door from Broad street, on Johnson. *

After Long Years.

"I was troubled with Liver Complaint for a number of years, finding no cure, I tried B. B. B. I took four bottles and am now perfectly cured, strong and hearty." Mrs. Maria Askett, Alma, Ont. tu-t-s-dw

Perfect Health

Can only be attained by carefully attending to the laws of nature as expressed in the wants of the system. To do this successfully requires the use of Burdock Blood Bitters occasionally, to secure the regulating and strengthening effect of this splendid medicine. tu-th-sat-dw

Ladies and Gentlemen

The best place to buy Garden ng Tools is at Cheapside. POWELL & Co. *

Quite Correct.

"I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and found it the best remedy I ever used for Dyspepsia and all Summer Complaints among children, and I think no household should be without it." Mrs. A. Baker, Ingoldsby, Ont.
tu-th-sat-dw

J. SEHL, 68 Government street, has over forty different styles of Children's Carriages, from $8.00 up. *

Arrived.

Bass' 8-year-old ale on draught at the Occidental. *

CABLE NEWS.

Opening of the Landtag by Emperor William--An Imposing Ceremony.

The Channel Tunnel Scheme Defeated—Career of a Daring American Burglar—A Storm Brewing in Berlin over Dr. Mackenzie's Statement—Emperor William to Visit the Czar.

Parliamentary Notes.

LONDON, June 27.—In the commons to-day, the Channel tunnel bill was rejected. It was introduced by Sir Edward Watkins, and was rejected by 32 to 165.

The vote taken last night on Morley's resolution was the largest vote recorded during the existence of this parliament. It was on strictly party lines and made the issue as clear as Mr. Gladstone desired. Every commoner was accounted for, with the exception of Sir Edward Watkins (conservative), who mysteriously disappeared just before the division was taken. It is suspected the latter did not dare to oppose Gladstone, as Sir Edward's father has a channel tunnel scheme which is before the house for consideration, and the ex-premier has given his support to the bill. In order to retain such powerful support, Sir Edward evidently did not dare do anything to endanger it. Now that the lines are drawn closely once more and the unionists are identified with the tory government of Ireland, Gladstone and his followers will make good use of the vantage ground which they have gained and proclaim at every coming election, where the unionists are concerned, the way in which the latter break their pledges.

The Late Emperor's Malady.

A storm, which threatens to be a decidedly severe one, is rising at Berlin. The cause of trouble is the admission which Dr. Mackenzie is reported to have made, that he was aware of the incurable character of the Emperor's disease. Prince Bismarck's organ, the *North German Gazette*, is out with an editorial condemning the English physician's tactics, and at the same time announces that the report of the German doctors of the Emperor's case will shortly be published.

The *Globe* in a leader on the subject, says: The idea of medical science in the highest region of politics is monstrous. Mackenzie on his return to England must meet questions affecting his alleged action."

A Newspaper Reception.

The *Star* gave a reception to newspaper men to-night. John Morley, a number of Irish members of parliament, and many artists and literary men were present.

A Daring American Burglar.

LONDON, June 26.—Enquiries made by the cable news shows that Billy Porter, the American burglar recently arrested here with his partner Buck for burglary committed in Zurich, Switzerland, has been shadowed since his arrival in England in 1887. A jewelry burglary, which he committed in Munich, is the most daring robbery in German police annals. He forced a side door and made his way through two ceilings. He descended into the shop by means of a rope ladder. He left the ladder behind him and the linen was identical with the linen which was found at Buck's house in which the jewelry was wrapped. A letter was found with the jewelry addressed to Buck, telling him that the "porter" had left him something to go on with. Buck tried to conceal in the waist band of his trousers, a large packet of loose diamonds. Both men dressed stylishly and frequented the American resorts in London, and were friendly with a famous band of bank burglars and a man named Johnson who had owned a steam yacht and formerly lived in chambers in Picadilly. Johnson lately owned a mansion at Clapham. Recently the three caroused at Porter's house in Chelsea where they got into a fight. Johnson was knocked down and trampled upon and the three were arrested, but they declined to make charges against each other. At another carousal later they were arrested and fined for drunkenness. Buck recently married a respectable English girl, and Porter giving his Chelsea house into Buck's charge, bought a fine house in Waltham Green. He also had hores and carriages. Superintendent Shaw, who arrested them, recovered about four thousand pounds of valuables remaining from the Munich plunder, consisting of 800 unset stones, bracelets, rings, etc., and £900 in English and French bank notes. Each house contained loaded revolvers, disguises, superb burglary tools, numerous suits of clothing, and hats suitable for every country in Europe. There is no doubt but that the men will be extradited.

Opening of the Landtag.

BERLIN, June 27. — The Emperor opened the Prussian diet this morning. In his speech from the throne he said the government, like that of the late Emperor Frederick, would be exercised as a legacy from his grandfather and would equally guard the rights of the people and the crown, and protect all religions. He was gratified at the good relations existing between the state and the Catholic Church and satisfied with the present state of Prussia's finance. He hoped that further relief from taxation of communes and persons of small means was possible. He concluded by quoting the words of Frederick the Great that the "King is the first servant of the people." The opening of the Landtag was accompanied by an imposing ceremonial similar to that observed when the Reichstag met. The White Hall of the old castle was again the scene of the ceremonies. The king entered the hall followed by the royal princes. The queen and princesses occupied a dais to the right of the throne. The members of the houses of the landtag were stationed opposite the throne. The members of the upper house being on the right and those of the lower house on the left side. As soon as the king arrived the president of the upper house proposed three cheers for him, and they were given with enthusiasm. The king did not remove his helmet while reading his speech. The chief passages of the address were loudly applauded. When he had finished the king extended his hand to Bismarck, who, bowing low, kissed it. After bowing to the assembly the king left the hall amid enthusiastic cheering.

Addresses in Reply.

The upper and lower houses of the German reichstag to-day presented addresses in answer to the speech from the throne. The addresses, after expressing grief at Emperor Frederick's death, and gratitude at Emperor William's promises, declared the members of the reichstag would faithfully support the crown under all circumstances.

The Council Received by the Emperor.

The Emperor received the members of the municipal council to-day. Mayor Forckenbeck read an address to the Emperor who expressed his thanks for the loyal expressions contained. The Emperor said Berlin had only recently become one of the leading cities of the world, but hereafter it would improve. The council should, he said, increase and restore the places of worship as well as schools and hospitals.

The Late Emperor Did Not Know.

BERLIN, June 26.—The *North German Gazette* referring to a recently printed interview with Dr. Mackenzie, in which the latter referred to his concealing his knowledge that Emperor Frederick was suffering from an incurable cancer, says: "The statement that Emperor Frederick or his consort desired to rule even for a short time is untrue. Frederick, had he known that his disease was incurable, would not have assumed the government of the country."

Duellists Acquitted.

PARIS, June 26.—M. Hobert, the artist who recently killed M. Dupeus in a duel, has been acquitted. The four seconds were also acquitted.

The Emperors to Meet.

VIENNA, June 27.—The *Fremdenblatt* confirms the report that Emperor William will visit the Czar at St. Petersburg during the first fortnight in July, and says that afterwards he will meet the Emperor Francis Joseph.

The "Werra" All Right.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 27.—The steamer Werra, from Bremen for New York, which went ashore at Dungeness and was brought here and docked for examination, was found to have sustained no damage. She sailed for New York to-day.

Commercial Relations.

ROME, June 27.—During the debate on DeBurger to-day in the deputies, Premier Crispi, referring to the commercial negotiations between Italy and France, said that France demands concessions which we cannot grant, but we intend to persist and will arrive at an understanding in the matter. The protectionists are very strong in France, but France will eventually recognize that protection is prejudicial to her interests.

A Large Army Credit.

PESTH, June 27.—The Hungarian delegation to-day voted an army credit of 47,000,000 florins. Count Apponyi said that in view of the uncertainty in the European situation an alliance with Germany was a strong safeguard, especially after the Emperor William's speech, which, the Count said, was most sympathetically received in Austria-Hungary. This alliance did not, however, release the country from the duty of developing her own strength. "Resoluteness," concluded the Count," means peace, while a weak course renders war certain. The premier, Von Tiza, fully concurred in Count Apponyi's remarks.

An Open Insurrection.

SHANGHAI, June 27.—The people of Seoul, the capital of Corea, are in open insurrection. They have beheaded nine government officials in the streets and wild excitement prevails. Foreigners are seeking refuge at their various consulates. It is said the Chinese instigated the trouble.

AMERICAN NEWS.

A Duke to Marry an American.

NEWPORT, N. Y., June 26.—News is received here that on Saturday next the Duke of Marlborough will be married to the young widow of Hooker Hammersley, of New York. The lady was the beautiful Miss Lilly Price, of Troy. She enjoys an annuity of $100,000 from her late husband's estate.

Sheridan's Condition.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—General Sheridan's physicians at 9 o'clock to-night issued a bulletin stating that there was no change to note in the patient's condition since last night, and if no unfavorable change occurs he will be taken on board the Swatara, and leave for Nonquitt about noon to-morrow.

The Floods in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 26.—Telegraphic communication has been restored between Leon and Silas on the line of the Mexican Central railway. Particulars of terrible floods that occurred in that district have been obtained. A telegram from Silas says it commenced raining on the 18th inst., and continued a heavy downpour for twenty-four hours. About 325 houses have been destroyed. The station buildings are occupied by homeless people, who are unable to obtain anything to eat except watermelons and fruit found floating in the water. Several dykes have given way and the whole country around is flooded. At Leon on the night of the 18th the people, believing themselves safe from the flood, went to bed in those parts of the town where the water had not found its way. The flood increased during the night; the houses tumbled in rapidly, and as the buildings fell, the unfortunate sleepers were either crushed to death or drowned. The rain continued incessantly till Wednesday, the 20th inst., and it is estimated that fully seven hundred persons perished. One hundred and eleven bodies have been recovered without moving any ruins of houses. There are supposed to be hundreds of bodies buried. The total number of houses destroyed is estimated at 2,000, and the loss $2,000,000.

INTERIOR NEWS.

[Inland Sentinel.]

Rain at Kamloops every day in the month of June this year, up to Thursday last, the 21st inst.

The High Bar claim, which was first worked about six years ago, and which paid one ounce per day to the man the first year, has been gradually declining, until now only a couple of dollars per day is made. The claim is owned by a company of Celestials. It is surprising to see the large numbers of Chinese mining along the banks of the Fraser, and all of them are earning fair wages, as great numbers return to the Flowery Kingdon in what they consider affluent circumstances.

The vote for school trustee stood as follows: Dr. Furrier, 29; R. E. Smith, 44, the latter being declared elected.

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Michael Farrell, who runs a shooting gallery on Toronto Island, was shot through the jugular vein with a gallery rifle. The man who did the shooting escaped, and it is not known whether the shooting was done wilfully or not. Farrell is unconscious and dying.

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IRELAND'S DECREASED POPULATION.

The decrease of population in Ireland is more eloquent of the evils of the present methods of dealing with Irish discontent than any number of speeches or pamphlets. That the Irish are a prolific race was shown by the increase of population between 1801 and 1841, from 5,395,456 to 8,175,125. During the last forty-seven years, not only has the natural increase been arrested or neutralized by emigration, but the actual population of Ireland has fallen to 4,750,000, being 645,456 less than the enumeration of 1801. It is curious and instructive to note that in 1801 there were as many people in Ireland as in the whole United States, while in the present year the State of New York contains at least 1,000,000 more people than does all Ireland. If the growth of the United States be without example in history, the depopulation of Ireland is equally so, and there is as little evidence of the arrest of the one process as of the other. Reckoned by the square mile, the density of population in Ireland is less than two-fifths of that of England, and though there are economic as well as political reasons for this, it is the strongest indictment against the present legislation that a people strongly attached to their native soil should be leaving it at the rate of 80,000 a year.

P. O. DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Postoffice Department has everything in readiness for the important changes which are to take place in the internal working of the department on the first proximo. Of the 7,500 postoffices in the Dominion, from July 1st, but a thousand, which are money order offices, will continue to have dealings with the department. The other 6,500 offices will be furnished at the outset with a supply of stamps on credit, which the postmasters will not be called upon to pay for until such time as they may resign their positions. Postmasters of money order offices hereafter will be required to keep only one account with the department, instead of two, as at present. The quarterly revenue account will be abolished, and that part of the money order return known as the "cash account" will be amended so as to include the necessary items of postal revenue (sale of postage stamps, etc.). It will be the postmaster's duty to transmit his revenue account as usual at the close of the present quarter, ending 30th instant. The balance due to the department must at the same time be remitted on "revenue" account to the bank where the postmaster has heretofore deposited revenue funds. This will be the last revenue account which the postmaster will render, as postal revenue will for the future be accounted for with money order funds. Consequent on the creation of the non-accounting offices there will be a general redistribution of the staff at Ottawa. The positions of assistant superintendents of the savings banks, money order and accountant's branches will be abolished, as also the cashier's position, a considerable saving being effected thereby. Hon. Mr. McLelan signalized his departure from the department by effecting a most important reform which is being carried out by the financial comptroller of the department, Mr. Stewart.

GERMANY'S NEW EMPRESS.

Lovers of poetic justice will rejoice at the ascension to the throne of the Empire of Germany of the new Empress Augusta. In 1863 Frederick VII, King of Denmark, and Sovereign of the Duchies of Schleswig-Holstein, died, leaving no direct heir. Christian, of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glucksburg, the father of the Princess of Wales, succeeded to the throne of Denmark, and by a treaty arranged in London in 1852 was the recognized sovereign of the Duchies also. Prince Frederick, of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Augustenburg, however, disputed the sovereignty of King Christian, and claimed the Duchies with the support of the great majority of the inhabitants who were Germans. Prince Bismarck supported the claim of the Prince of Augustenburg, and on behalf of the German States Prussia and Austria were deputed to compel by force the surrender of the Duchies. Brave little Denmark, depending upon assurances of English help, went to war with the two powerful kingdoms and was, of course, defeated. Denmark resigned the Duchies, but the Prince of Augustenburg, whose claim Prussia and Austria went to war to enforce, was quietly placed to one side and treated as a fool for supposing that the two kingdoms proposed spending money on his behalf. Prussia next under Bismarck's leadership quietly shunted Austria, and annexed the two Duchies, leaving her ally out in the cold. On May 3rd, 1860, three years previous to this event, a little daughter was born to the Prince of Augustenburg, whom he named Victoria. In 1880, Prince William of Prussia, son of the Crown Prince of Germany, met Victoria and fell in love with her. In spite of all obstacles he married her on the 27th of February, 1881. To-day, therefore, the daughter of the Prince who was cheated and dispossessed of his territories by Prussia is herself Queen of Prussia and Empress of Germany. Bismarck is to-day her humble servant, nominally at least. The new Empress of Germany has four sons. In Germany she has been called Augusta to distinguish her from the Dowager Empress Victoria, our own Crown Princess.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

We have to acknowledge the receipt of the recent report of Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Chief Engineer and General Manager of Government Railways. It has just been issued by the Department of Railways and Canals, bearing date 12th March, 1888. To many persons the report might appear dry and uninteresting reading; but as it furnishes an array of facts and figures illustrative of railway development, which development reflects in a measure the progress of the country, it cannot be examined without interesting those who feel interested in the substantial advancement of the Dominion. The following are a few railway facts, culled from the report: Miles of railway completed, 12,332; miles of railway in operation, 11,691; working expenses of the year, $38,841,609; net earnings of the year, $27,624,683; number of passengers carried, 10,698,638; tons of freight carried, 16,356,335; number of miles run by trains, 33,638,748; miles of iron rails, 1,175; miles of steel rails, 11,157; miles of sidings, 1,462; number of engines owned, 1,587; engines hired, 46; sleeper and parlor cars owned, 69; first class cars owned, 729; second class and emigrant cars owned, 498; baggage, mail and express cars owned, 440; cattle and box cars owned, 24,023; platform cars owned, 12,668; coal and dump cars owned, 2,957. The amount of paid up capital on the 30th June, 1887, was $683,773,191, including $129,810,633 government bonuses, $20,592,026 government loans paid, and $12,812,836 municipal aid. The following details show the nominal capital paid:

	Total.	Per mile.
Ordinary share capital	$227,335,811 03	$18,434 63
Preference share capital	96,792,926 77	7,848 92
Bonded debt	194,801,553 41	15,796 44
Aid from Dominion Government	129,497,666 34	10,500 94
Aid from Ontario Government	5,947,007 52	482 24
Aid from Quebec Government	7,729,987 81	635 01
Aid from New Brunswick Government	3,979,095 00	322 66
Aid from Nova Scotia Government	1,653,902 68	134 11
Aid from Manitoba Government	1,895,000 00	153 66
Aid from municipalities	12,812,836 43	1,030 88
Capital from other sources	1,327,404 24	107 64
Total	$683,773,191 23	$55,447 13

Government and municipal loans, bonuses, etc., promised paid, and to be paid to railways, completed and under construction:

	Total.	Paid.
Dominion Government	$133,420,154 53	$129,497,666 34
Ontario Government	5,947,007 52	5,947,007 52
Quebec Government	9,897,910 02	7,729,987 81
New Brunswick Government	4,229,665 00	3,979,095 00
Nova Scotia Government	1,996,194 94	1,653,902 68
Manitoba Government	1,895,000 00	1,895,000 00
Municipalities in Ontario	9,501,541 78	9,451,325 81
Municipalities in Quebec	4,190,024 00	2,191,910 62
Municipalities in New Brunswick	316,500 00	296,500 00
Municipalities in Nova Scotia	250,000 00	250,000 00
Municipalities in Manitoba	585,600 00	585,600 00
Municipalities in British Columbia	37,500 00	37,500 00
Municipalities in North-West Territories	35,000 00	.....
Total	$172,272,097 79	$163,515,495 78

The railway having the largest milage in operation is the Canadian Pacific—4,274 miles, of which the main line, Montreal to Vancouver, has 2,906 miles. The Grand Trunk, including branches, has 2,598 miles; the Intercolonial 800 miles. The number of passengers killed during the year was 10, of employees 84, and other persons 84, numbering a total of 178.

PRESS COMMENTS.

(Toronto Globe.)

Dr. Talmage, in his last Sunday sermon, said some very sensible things about the necessity and advantages of the pulpit and the press working harmoniously with each other. There is no good reason why they should not, and when it is otherwise some one is seriously to blame. The better and more influential part of the press in all lands has never sought either to belittle or to counteract the labors of the pulpit, and, upon the whole, the same thing may be said of the abler and more energetic section of the pulpit in its relation to the press. Sometimes a weak and pretentious preacher may affect to despise the newspapers, and may say that he is quite insensible to their criticism. But this is the exception, just as is the charge of sensationalism and falsehood. The pulpit and the press has each its own sphere, but they are, or ought to be, working for one common end, and in doing this they can greatly help each other, and cannot hinder without some one being greatly at fault.

Let each keep to his own work in his own way, but with the mental and spiritual good of the people constantly in view, and the result will be satisfactory all round. Neither has any occasion to speak patronisingly or with contempt of the other. The press reaches far beyond the pulpit's widest limit. Let them cooperate with each other according to their several opportunities and ability in exposing the false and helping forward the right and the true, and the world will be all the better for their united labor.

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Substantial Meals and Refreshments of all kinds, ice cream, fruits and candies, etc., will be supplied at town prices. An abundant supply of fresh water on the grounds, free of charge.

PROGRAMME OF RACES

To commence at One o'clock, p. m.

1. Running Race for men—200 yards. Entrance fee, 25c. 1st prize, $5; 2nd, $2.50
2. Running Race for boys under 15—200 yards. Prize, stem-winding watch.
3. Running Race for girls under 14—75 yards. Prize, lady's silk umbrella.
4. Three-legged race, men—100 yds. Entrance fee, 25c. Prize, $3.00.
5. Running Race, soldiers and sailors. Prize, pair of Walkemphast boots, to be selected by winner at Mansell's.
6. Hop, step and jump—Prize, Box of Cigars.
7. Running Race, for men over 40—100 yards. Prize, silverheaded cane.
8. Tug of War, civilians vs. army & navy, $10.00
9. Running long jump—1st prize, $3; 2nd, $1.00
10. " high jump, " $3; 2nd, $1.00
11. Sack Race—50 yards. Prize, $2.50.
12. Running race, boys under 18, 100 yds.—Book.
13. " " girls under 16, 50 yds.—Book.
14. " " boys under 12, 100 yds.—Book.
15. " " girls under 12, 50 yds.—Book.
16. " " girls under 8, 50 yds. —Locket and chain.
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PROGRAMME OF GAMES.

	Ent.	1st	2nd	3rd.
1. Running high jump	25c	$4.00	$2.00	
2. Running long jump	25c	4.00	2.00	
3. Hop, step and jump	25c	3.00	1.50	
4. Foot race, 3 miles	$1	15.00	7.50	
5. Foot race, for boys under 15, handicapped	free	2.50	1.50	1.00
6. Foot race, for girls under 15, handicapped	free	2.50	1.50	1.00
7. Foot race, for boys under 10, handicapped	free	2.00	1.00	50
8. Half-mile race	50c	7.00	5.00	
9. Half-mile navy and military race		5.00	2.50	
10. Foot race, for girls under 10, handicapped		2.00	1.00	50
11. Tug of War, Navy v. 'C' Battery, 10 aside	free	10.00		
12. Hurdle race, 300 yards	50c	5.00	2.00	
13. Coal-oil can race	25c	4.00	2.00	
14. Throwing h'vy hammer	50c	5.00	2.50	
15. Putting heavy shot	50c	5.00	2.50	
16. One mile naval and military race		7.50	5.00	
17. Sack race	25c	4.00	2.00	
18. Three legged race	25c	4.00	2.00	
19. Race for men over 50 yrs.	50c	Medal.		

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Referring to the above, we beg to announce that we have this day entered into partnership, under the name or style of NESBITT, DICKSON & CO., for the purpose of carrying on the business of the late firm of Nesbitt & Co., and intend to add to the present plant modern machinery and such other facilities as may be necessary for supplying the trade of British Columbia. We respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage extended to our predecessors, to merit which every effort will be made.

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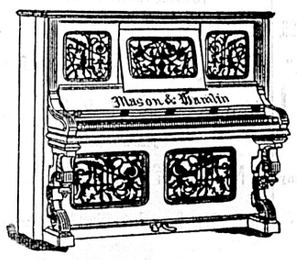

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INSURING THE SICK.

WHAT HAS BEEN DETERMINED BY BY VITAL STATISTICS.

Can a Profit Be Made in Insuring Unhealthy Lives—A Table of Comparative Probabilities—Theoretical Expectations of the Diseased.

The practice of the life insurance companies in insuring only the best lives has often been the subject of a grim kind of humor. "The people they insure," it is said, "are those who appear from a medical examination to stand in no need of insurance, while those who really do need it cannot get it." This is not altogether true, of course. A good many of the people who can successfully pass the medical examiners of the insurance companies stand quite as much in need of insurance as those who cannot pass, but it is certainly unfortunate that the latter, who certainly do stand in need of insurance, are unable to get it. It is not only unfortunate, but seems to be a trifle unjust; and the question is often seriously asked why, when the insurance risks are based on general mortality and not on the mortality among selected lives, the insurance companies should decline risks upon any lives but the selected?

The answer is, probably, that the insurance companies are not doing business on philanthropic principles—though their solicitors would fain persuade us to the contrary—but to make money. But even when the answer has been given the question may still be asked whether there is not a profit to be made in insuring impaired lives.

THE UNHEALTHY LIFE.

An article in The American Exchange and Review indicates the possibility that this question may yet be answered in the affirmative. It points out that while the unhealthy life is, as a rule, in greater peril of death than the healthy one, the risk in the case of the former can, in all probability, be determined with as much accuracy and safety as it can in the case of the latter. This is certainly a reasonable view. The number of years upon which a healthy man of 20, or 30 or 40, or any other age, can reasonably expect to live, has been ascertained by a careful compilation of vital statistics. What is to prevent the ascertainment, by a like careful compilation, of the age to which an unhealthy or unsound man of 20, 30 or 40, or any other age, may expect to live?

To a certain small extent, according to the article referred to, this has been done by the Institute of Actuaries in London, England, in constructing a table of comparative probabilities in the cases of healthy and diseased lives. The figures, though not at all conclusive, are very interesting, showing side by side the survivorships at 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, etc., of 10,000 healthy and 10,000 diseased lives, starting at the age of 10. Singularly enough, at the age of 20 the showing in the case of the diseased lives is the better, 9,673 of them surviving against 9,554 of the healthy lives. From that time forward, however, the figures favor the healthy lives in a gradually increasing ratio. At 30 the survivors in the healthy 10,000 are 8,904 against 8,548 in the diseased 10,000. At 60 the healthy side shows 5,547 survivors and the diseased only 4,832. At 96 they are nearly equal, but the diseased lives have the advantage by one, showing 26 against 25 of the healthy lives

THEORETICAL EXPECTATIONS.

The Exchange and Review concludes its article with what it calls a table of "theoretical expectations of diseased life," which might more appropriately be called a hypothetical table, inasmuch as it is not put forward as even approximately accurate. It is useful, however, in the suggestion it furnishes that a table may be constructed sufficiently accurate for practical purposes. Whether any of the existing companies will take up the suggestion is very doubtful. The best of them are doing quite well enough on their present basis not to be tempted to embark in any new field, and it is earnestly to be hoped that the worst of them, which are not doing well now, will not injure the business of insuring impaired lives by giving it a bad send off.

A fortune, however, awaits the company, old or new, which shall, with sound judgment and sufficient capital, enter upon that business. While the price to be charged would necessarily be higher than in the case of healthy lives, the risk, if the business were conducted on a sound basis, would probably be no greater. The cost would probably be less, especially in the item of commissions or salaries to solicitors. If anything can positively be predicted as to an utterly untried scheme, it can be predicted that men of impaired lives would need much less soliciting to induce them to insure than the men of healthy lives do.—Detroit Free Press.

Getting Things Somewhat Mixed.

A newly elected justice of the peace, who had been used to drawing up deeds and wills and little else, was called up to marry a couple in haste. Removing his hat he remarked: "Hats off in the presence of the court." All being uncovered, he proceeded: "Hold up yer right hand. You, John Mankin, do yer solemnly swear, to the best of yer knowledge an' belief, that yer take this woman to have an' to hold for yerself, yer heirs, executers, administrators and assigns, for yer an' thir use an' behoof forever?"

"I do," answered the groom, promptly.

"You, Alice Evans, take this year man for yer husband, ter have and ter hold forever; an' you do solemnly swear that yer lawfully seized in fee simple an' free from all encumbrance, an' have good right to sell, bargain and convey to said grantee, yerself, yer heirs, administrators and assigns?"

"I—I do," said the bride, doubtfully.

"Well, that 'er's wuth a dollar 'n fifty cents."

"Are we married?" asked the bride.

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A Disappointed Puppy.

The most disappointed looking man to be met with in a day's journey on the elevated roads is the flirtatious whipper snapper who discovers that he has permitted a pretty girl to stand, and who only makes the discovery after some other man has given her a seat. The scorn with which she receives any attempts on his part to attract her attention adds a double barb to his fond regrets for what might have been had he had his eyes open in time. But it always does take puppies a long time to get their eyes open.—New York Press "Every Day Talk."

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Respectfully yours,
IRA WILSON.
Cadboro Bay, June 8th, 1888. jun3-2w

To the Electors of the Electoral District of Victoria:

I respectfully announce myself as a Candidate for the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. R. F. John, and solicit your votes and influence to secure my return as a supporter of the present Government. I will at an early date visit you personally and explain my views on the chief questions of the day.

JAS. TOLMIE.

Dated, Cloverdale,
June 4th, 1888.
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VICTORIA DISTRICT.

TO THE ELECTORS:

Gentlemen:—Having received the unanimous nomination of the Convention of Electors held at South Saanich on Friday, the 8th inst., as a Candidate for the representation of the District in the Local Legislature, I have accepted the same, and respectfully ask your votes and influence.

J. T. McILMOYL.
Victoria District, June 9, 1888. je12-td-dw

COMMONS CANDIDATE.

We are authorized to state that Mr. DeCosmos is a Candidate to represent this constituency in the House of Commons, and will shortly issue an address to the Electors.
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Public Meetings.

Messrs. McILMOYL and TOLMIE will address the Electors of Victoria West at the following places:

NORTH SAANICH INSTITUTE—Tuesday, 19th June
SCHOOL HOUSE, West Road—Thursday, 21st "
ROYAL OAK SCHOOL HOUSE—Saturday, 23rd "
BURNSIDE, " —Monday, 25th "
CEDAR HILL, " —Tuesday, 26th "
AG'L HALL, S. SAANICH, —Thursday, 28th "
jun12-td

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Business Changes.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO ANNOUNCE to his friends and customers that he has sold his flour, feed, grain and commission business to Messrs. Brackman & Ker, of this city, and takes the opportunity of returning thanks to his many generous patrons for favors in the past, and solicits a continuance of the same to his successors in the future.

J. C. DEVLIN.

IN REFERENCE TO THE ABOVE, WE beg to announce that having purchased the business heretofore carried on by Mr. J. C. Devlin, we intend to continue the same as formerly, and respectfully solicit the patronage of all old customers as well as the generous public; and by strict attention to business and the requirements of the trade, hope to merit the confidence of our customers generally.

jun13-1m BRACKMAN & KER.

NOTICE.

BY ORDER OF COURT TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned up to THURSDAY, the 12TH DAY OF JULY, 1888, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, for the purchase for cash of the ACCOUNTS due and owing Uriah Nelson.

The books may be seen on application at the office of Theodore Davie, Victoria.

The highest or any tender not necessarily to be accepted.

Dated Victoria, 25th June, 1888.

HARVEY COMBE,
Je27 Receiver of the estate of Uriah Nelson.

SUNNYSIDE!
100 Cormorant Street.
COMFORTABLE FAMILY BOARDING HOUSE.
TERMS MODERATE.

NOTICES.

[L.S.] HUGH NELSON.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, etc., etc., etc.

To the Returning Officer of the Electoral District of Victoria.

WHEREAS a vacancy has happened in the Legislative Assembly by the acceptance of office of Robert Franklin John, Esquire, a member for the Electoral District of Victoria, We command you that, notice of the time and place of election being duly given, you do cause election to be made according to law, of one Member to serve in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Victoria, and that you do cause the nomination of candidates at such election to be held on

and do cause the name of such member when so elected, whether he be present or absent, to be certified to Our Supreme Court, at the City of Victoria, on or before the Thirtieth day of June instant, the election so made, distinctly and openly under Our Seal duly endorsed upon this Our Writ.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, under the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia:

WITNESS the Honorable HUGH NELSON, Our Lieutenant-Governor, at Our Government House, at Victoria, the Fourth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

By Command,
JAMES C. PREVOST,
jun8-2w Registrar Supreme Court.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Cariboo will be held:—

At Lillooet,	on Wednesday,	30th May, 1888.
At Clinton,	on Wednesday,	13th June, 1888.
At 150-Mile House,	on Thursday,	28th June, 1888.
At Soda Creek,	on Saturday,	30th June, 1888.
At Quesnellemouth,	on Tuesday,	3rd July, 1888.
At Richfield,	on Friday,	6th July, 1888.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
16th April, 1888. ap20-td

EDUCATION BRANCH,
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.
VICTORIA, June 4th, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Legislative Hall, Victoria, commencing on Saturday, July 7th, at 10 a. m.

Intending candidates are required to notify this Department and furnish testimonials prior to June 27th.

S. D. POPE,
ju5 Superintendent of Education.

NOTICE.

A COURT OF ASSIZE, NISI PRIUS, OYER and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery will be held at Donald, on Monday, the 23rd proximo.

By Command.
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
12th June, 1888. jun15-1m-dw

NOTICE.
BRIDGE CLOSED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Bridge over the Colquitz River, on the cross road between the Burnside Road and Craigflower, has been closed for repairs.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 23rd May, 1888. my24

TAX NOTICE.

ASSESSED and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1888 are due and payable at my office, Treasury, James Bay.

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of 1 per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on or before June 30th, ½ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before June 30th 7½ cents per acre,

Real Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ¾ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on and after July 1st, ¾ of one per cent,

Wild Land Tax, if paid on and after July 1st 8¼ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, in each case, *per capita*, $3.00.

C. BOOTH,
ap8-june30 Assessor and Collector.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1888.

SPRING ASSIZES.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday ....21st May.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....5th June.

[On Mainland.]

New Westminster.Wednesday.2nd May.
Kamloops.....Monday ...4th June.
Clinton.....Monday ....11th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

Richfield.....Monday ....10th September.
Clinton .....Wednesday.26th September.
Kamloops.....Monday ....1st October.
Lytton .....Monday ....8th October.
New Westminster.Wednesday.14th November.

[On Vancouver Island.]

Victoria.....Monday ....26th November.
Nanaimo.....Tuesday ....4th December.
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NOTICES.

NOTICE.
Tenders for Gaol Supplies.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 29th June, 1888, for

SUPPLIES
—FOR—
Victoria Provincial Gaol,
—CONSISTING OF—
Bread, Groceries, Clothing, Coal, Wood and Coke, Meats, Fish and Vegetables,

FROM 1ST JULY, 1888, TO 30TH JUNE, 1889.

Samples of Groceries and Clothing may be seen at Victoria Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

Tenders to state price of Wood per cord, and Coal per ton of 2,000 lbs.

All Supplies to be delivered at the Provincial Gaol, Topaz Avenue.

All articles of home manufacture will be preferred.

Tenders to be addressed to—

H. B. ROYCRAFT,
Sup't Prov. Police.
Victoria, June 3rd, 1888. jun1-td

NOTICE.
TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 30th instant, for the erection of a School House at Sooke Bay.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th June, 1888. je21

NOTICE.
TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL BE received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to noon of Saturday, 30th instant, for the construction of a Bridge on the West Saanich Road, near Hogan's; for grading Garbally Street, Victoria District; and for the construction of a continuation of the Beecher Bay and Sooke Road, Esquimalt District.

Specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 20th June, 1888. je21

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Offices of the Provincial Government will be closed on Monday and Tuesday next, the 2nd and 3rd proximo.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
26th June, 1888. je27-td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that commencing on Tuesday, the 3rd July next, a **FREE DELIVERY** of letters and papers by carriers will be established in this city. There will be two deliveries daily (Sundays excepted), the first commencing at 8:30 A. M. and the second at 4 P. M. All letters and papers for delivery by carriers must be addressed to street and number, and a letter box or other proper receptacle should be provided. Persons who desire to have their correspondence delivered must notify the Postmaster, in writing, to that effect. The Postmaster should also be notified of any change of address, etc., as well as of any irregularities that may occur.

No correspondence will be delivered outside the city limits.

E. H. FLETCHER,
Postoffice Inspector's Office. Postoffice Inspector.
Victoria, B. C., 26th June, 1888. je27

NOTICES.

A CARD.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that MR. A. TOLLER is the only authorized collector for the "Social World." Unauthorized collector's receipts will not be recognised.

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je23-1m Managing Editor.

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MUNICIPAL.

No. 158.
A BY-LAW,

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1888.

[Passed 18th June, 1888.]

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. The Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1888 shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1888.

2. All persons complaining of their respective assessments on the said Roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning the said Roll, give notice thereof in writing to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, specifying in such notice the grounds of their respective complaints.

3. The said notice shall be left with the Clerk of the Municipal Council twenty-four hours prior to the time mentioned in the next section of this By-Law.

4. All complaints, of which due notice shall have been given under the last two preceding sections, shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as they can be heard,

Passed the Municipal Council, the 30th day of May, A. D. 1888.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 18th day of June, A. D. 1888.

JOHN GRANT.
Mayor.
(L. S.) JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.
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No. 159.
A BY-LAW,

To Amend Section 26 of the "Buildings By-Law, Number 144."

[Passed 18th June, 1888.]

Whereas it is expedient to amend Section 26 of the "Buildings By-Law," by increasing the minimum of value of any building in respect of which permission may be given by the Street Committee to allow same to be moved, into, along or across any street or public place;

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:—

1. Section 26 of the "Buildings By-Law" is hereby amended by striking out the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" in the last line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "seven hundred and fifty dollars."

Passed the Municipal Council the 30th day of May, A. D. 1888.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council, this 18th day of June, A. D. 1888.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
(L. S.) JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.
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Municipal Notice
THISTLES!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE owners of lots within the City limits are required to destroy Thistles growing upon their lots forthwith, otherwise the Corporation will have them destroyed at the owner's expense.

By order.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Clerk.
City Hall,
22nd June, 1888. je23

SEASON 1888.
THE HEAVY DRAUGHT STALLION
YOUNG SAMPSON,

SIRED BY SAMPSON, imported dam Gip, sired by Dick Turpin imported; grand dam by Royal George; great grand dam by Baron Wentworth, will stand for mares for the season of 1888, commencing MONDAY, APRIL 9TH. Route: Along East Saanich Road to J. D. Bryant's, Tuesday, to Henderson's, West Saanich Road till noon; then returning to Victoria to his own stable.

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Address—JONATHAN SPARKS
COLONIAL HOTEL, Johnson street, Victoria.
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NOTICE IS HEREY GIVEN THAT, SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all of the unoccupied portion of Tumbo Island, not exceeding in the whole 200 acres of land, situated in Cowichan District.

CHARLES GABRIEL.
Victoria, B. C., 18th June, 1888. je19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one acre of unsurveyed and unoccupied land situated in the Cowichan District and described as follows: Beginning at station 7 of Tumbo Island survey; thence following a line S 78 W, past Cabbage Island 67.81 chains to a point marked A, on 4th squared post; thence N. 61 W. 3.39 chains; thence N 88 W. 1.04 chains; thence S. 56 E. 2.16 chains; thence S. 77 E. 1.34 chains; thence S. 69.30 E. 0.77 chains; thence N. 65.30 E. 1.36 chains to place of beginning, *i. e.* to post marked A.

CHARLES GABRIEL.
May 28th, 1888. je19

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Coast District, bounded as follows:—Commencing at a stake placed in the right bank of Naas river, about three-quarters of a mile above the Saw Mill, thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the river bank; thence along the river bank to the initial stake.

R. H. HALL.
Naas River, B. C.,
25th May, 1888. jun14-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned lands in the Coast District, and described as follows:—

Lot 1.—Containing 160 acres—Commencing at a stake marked A, on the point known as Double Island Point, Naas River; thence south along the shore line 40 chains to stake B; thence west 40 chains to stake C; thence north 40 chains to stake D; thence east along the shore line 40 chains to initial stake.

Lot 3.—Containing 160 acres—Situated on the south side of Naas River, commencing at a stake about a quarter of a mile above Leading Point; thence east along the shore line 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains to initial stake.

R. H. HALL.
Port Simpson, 19th May, 1888. my31-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Strait of Georgia, containing 640 acres, more or less.

ALBERT VEDLER.
Victoria, June 15th, 1888. je16-2mos.

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TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
	De 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	At 1.04 P.M	At 7.00
	" 3.36 "	RUSSELLS Y'd	" 1.00 "	" 6.56
	" 3.37 "	SAXON	" 12.56 "	" 6.46
	" 4.11 "	GOLDSTREAM	" 12.22 "	" 6.37
	" 5.06 "	SHAWNIGAN L'E	" 11.28 "	" 5.26
	" 5.16 "	COBBLE HILL	" 11.16 "	" 5.16
	" 5.31 "	McPHERSON'S	" 10.59 "	" 5.01
	" 5.41 "	KOKSILAH	" 10.47 "	" 4.51
	" 10.25 "	DUNCANS	" 10.12 "	" 4.46
	" 10.37 "	SAHTLAM	" 10.02 "	" 4.36
	" 5.56 "	CHEMAINUS	" 10.06 "	" 4.14
	" 6.18 "	NANAIMO	De 9.01	" 3.16
	" 7.16 "	WELLINGTON	At 8.55	
	At 7.31 "		De 8.40 A.M	De 3.01 P.M
De 8.20 A.M			At 1.04 P.M	At 7.00
" 8.24 "			" 1.00 "	" 6.56
" 9.01 "			" 12.26 P.M	" 6.46
" 9.56 "			" 11.31 "	" 5.51
" 10.08 "			" 11.19 "	" 5.39
" 10.25 "			" 11.02 "	" 5.22
" 10.37 "			" 10.50 "	" 5.10
" 2.45 "			" 7.30 "	" 1.30
" 3.26 "			" 6.49 "	" 12.49
" 4.25 "			" 5.50 "	" 11.50
" 5.46 "			" 4.31 "	" 10.31
" 11.12 "			" 10.06 "	" 4.06
Ar 12.20 P.M			De 9.00	
De 12.22			Ar 8.45	
Ar 12.41			De 8.40 A.M	

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H. K. PRIOR,
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LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province":

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the Requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., July 25th, 1887.
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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1888.

SHIPPING.

ENTERED.

June 27th—
Str. Yosemite, Vancouver.
Str. Maude, Nanaimo.
Str. R. P. Rithet, Westminster.
Str. Alaskan, Port Townsend.

CLEARED.

June 27th—
Str. R. P. Rithet, Westminster.
Str. Alaskan, Port Townsend.
Str. Yosemite, Vancouver.
Sts. Alexander, Vancouver.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET from Westminster.—Miss Erskine, Mrs Jones, W Brison, H H Porter, Miss Payatt, G Vermilycon, G Seymour, O'Neil, Sergt Sheppard, J Graham.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver.—W Gill, Dr G H Griffin, D W McLean, J Hellins J D Robinson, J W Pedley, H Woodward, E A Cresse, J Taylor, J Straghan, C F Beaven, E E Barklett, J Coigdarippe, J Boyd, J Freeman, E Freeman, Mrs Ayers, A R Ayers, W Wilkie, Mrs Wilkie, A McKaskill, A Milne, F McCartney, J Pocher, J Sodenbank, R Watson, Mrs Watson, Miss Watson, Mrs Hexter, A Hexter, Miss Berden, O Osmasten, B Osmasten, O W Goodwin, J L Drury, E Bevan, J Olding, J Jones T Allice, L Johnson, R Scoullar, A Ord.

Per Steamer ALASKAN, from Puget Sound—J Dwight, M Meyer, R P Gibbons, J Webster, O S Sage, F Hamilton, R Godfrey, E Kellog, J S Taylor, Miss Shobe, S T Lipincott, T C Drake, C Boyer, J R Norris, ID E Brown, J Stevenson, J Vonheller, J Tatham, C Vervall, J Johnson, M Tucker, C W Graves, C Belmont, H S Van Etan and wife, Miss Burton, J Hicken, G Bates, J Baker, wife and daughter, J Veith, Miss Siegal, Miss De Fair, D J Redfern, T Kluck, Miss Roner, L Yoger, D Heacock, J Hardy, W A White, wife and son, Miss Mellione, Wm Goodcock, L Johnson, L Davis, L Nelson, S Davidson, Blanche Hinman, M L Hinman and wife, Jas Brooks, W J Winargach, R McMillan, B Selling, J Dyke, J Cocran, P Kennedy, O Andrews, J McDonald.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET, from Westminstor.—Boscowitz, McKeon, R Porter, J Parker, Geo Tollick, Young Bros, Dom Ex Co, McNeil, Lowen and Erb, A and Gordon, J Papst, Geo Vienna, N Portman, R Beauchamp.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver.—C Gowen, C Strouss and Co, D Spencer, H Young, Langley and Co, Mann and Heron, W W Crauz, S Leiser, Sir M Begbie, Transfer Co, W Gardiner, W Heathorn, A J Wks, Cowan S and Co, H Bornstein, J Taylor, M W Wait, R Irving, R B McMicken, Dom Ex Co.

MARRIED.

GORDON-DENNY—At St. John's Church, Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday, the 27th inst., by the Rev. A. L. Parker, William Bruce, eldest son of William Gordon, Esq., formerly of H. M. 63rd Regiment, to Mary (Poppie), second daughter of William Denny, Esq. All of this city.

CLIFFORD-MCNEILL—At Hazleton, Forks of Skeena River, on Thursday, the 24th May, 1888, by Rev. John Field, Chas. W. D. Clifford, Agent H. B. Co., to Lucy Margaret, second daughter of Wm. McNeill, Esq., of Shoal Bay, Victoria.

CARR BECKETT—June 26th, 1888, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. George Ditcham, John Carr, Co. Dublin, Ireland, to Alice Mary, eldest daughter of H. R. Beckett, Port Haney.

DEATH.

HARRIS—In this city, on the 25th instant, of heart disease, John Harris, a native of Breckon, Wales, aged 60 years.

The funeral will take place on Thursday next at 2 p.m., and from the R.C. pro-Cathedral at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

Miss McLeod, M. D.,

Of Toronto, is practicing at Harrison Hot Springs Sanitarium. No disease so chronic that it cannot be cured by hot sulphur baths and magnetic treatment. Consultation free. Waters second to none. Hotel accommodation first class and terms reasonable. *

FRANCIS BOUCHER has 60 of the best building lots in the city for sale; also 2 snug little farms of 16 acres each, cleared, well cultivated and stocked. Lists of Seattle, Vancouver and Whatcom properties can be inspected at his office, the corner of Government and Broughton Streets. *

Burnes' House,

Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C. New and elegant. Situated near the steamboat landings, with unsurpassed view of hills, bay and distant mountains. All rooms are light and sunny. Perfect ventilation. ap6-3m*

$500 Reward.

Will be paid in gold coin to any person who can produce a better mattress for the money than our patented Independent Spring Edge. Don't have any other. Also come and see our new stock. Hastie & Lockhart, direct furniture importers and upholsterers, 54 Fort street.

Valvoline.

SPRATT & GRAY, Sole Agents for this celebrated Cylinder and Machine Oil, solicits a trial order from steamboat owners and others using machinery. A supply always on hand. *

NEW SILKS—In Surahs, Pongees and Bengalines at the City House.

Fruit Jars and Jellies.

Mason's porcelain-lined cap, and Mason's Improved Gem Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half gallons, THE MOST RELIABLE FRUIT JARS MADE, at lowest prices, at JOHN WEILER'S, Fort street. *

Removal.

Messrs. Jno. Barnsley & Co. have removed next to L. Goodacre's market, Government street, where will be found the largest and best assorted stock of Guns, Ammunition and Fishing Tackle in the province. †

B. H. BURGESS & Co. are now prepared to accommodate patrons with Ice Cream, Soda Waters, Lemonade, etc., at their parlors, *Standard* building. 3m *

Gold Paint, Lustre Paints, Colored Bronzes, Diamond Dust, at Joseph Sears, 114 Yates St. *

How it Works.

The mode of operating of Burdock Blood Bitters is that it works at one end the same time upon the Stomach, Liver, Bowels and Blood, to cleanse, regulate and strengthen. Hence its almost universal value in chronic complaints. tu-th-sat-dw

SWAISLAND LAWN TENNIS FLANNELS.—The best goods manufactured and the finest dyes. An assortment of forty patterns at the CITY HOUSE. †

READ Partridge's advertisement; the NEW GOODS challenge the unbounded admiration of all who visit the Lansdowne House. *

Levy, the Tailor,

20 Yates street, Victoria, B. C., makes the best fitting clothes. Pants to order from $6.00. Suits to order from $25. *

A Ready Recourse.

The ravages of Cholera Infantum, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhœa, Dysentery and other Summer complaints among children during the hot weather, might be almost totally prevented by having recourse to nature's sovereign remedy for all bowel complaints, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. tu-th-sat-dw

A Valuable Discovery.

F. P. Tanner, of Neebing, Ont., says he has not only found B. B. B. a sure cure for Dyspepsia, but he has also found it to be the best medicine for regulating and invigorating the system that he has ever taken. B. B. B. is the great system regulator. tu-th-sat-dw

A Severe Trial.

Frances S. Smith, of Emsdale, Muskoka, writes—"I was troubled with vomiting for two years and I have vomited as often as five times a day. One bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters completely cured me." tu-th-sat-dw

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Ran Into the Wharf.

Last evening as as the steamer Alaskan was making a landing, she ran into Turner, Beeton's middle wharf and tore quite a large piece out of it. It is supposed the engines refused to back her. No damage was sustained by the vessel.

Brotherhood of Brakemen.

The brakemen on the C.P.R. are about to organize a lodge in Vancouver of the Brotherhood of Brakemen. Mr. Foster, of New York, the official organizer of the brotherhood, is on the mainland, and steps are to be taken at once to establish a lodge.

Invited to Seattle.

Ex-Mayor Leary and Attorney-General Metcalfe of Seattle, in company with Mr. E. C. Neufelder, visited the warships the provincial government, Mayor Grant and others, for the purpose of inviting them to be present at the celebration in Seattle on the 4th July. A residence has been set apart in Seattle for the accommodation of the various official people, and the freedom of the city would be theirs during their stay.

Ordination at Vancouver.

The Presbytery of Columbia met at Vancouver on Tuesday for the purpose of licensing and ordaining Rev. R. H. Fraser to preach the gospel. Rev. Mr. Fraser is a young man who has come to the province lately, and has been appointed to a mission station under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church, situate on the Fraser river somewhere between Langley and Chilliwhack, and comprising among others the settlements of Mt. Lehman, Aldergrove and Riverside.

"The Wild West."

The report of the police court proceedings in the Toronto *Telegram* contains the following: "W. A. Coutts, a Scotch emigrant, bought a revolver because he had been told they were a wild set in British Columbia, to which place he was journeying. He was found on Gould street at an early hour yesterday morning. For having the pistol in his possession Coutts was fined $20 or fifteen minutes imprisonment. In other words the good young man from Scotland had it "socked to him" pretty strong in "Toronto the good."

Painful Accident.

Yesterday morning Mr. G. Larson, employed at Johnson, Walker & Flett's factory, while engaged in handling some logs for the gangway, slipped between a couple of the logs and had his right foot badly squeezed. Assistance was rendered by his fellow employees, who removed the boot and tightly bandaged the injured foot. Mr. Larson was then conveyed to his residence on Blanchard street, where Dr. Redmond attended the sufferer, and hopes to have him completely cured in a couple of weeks.

Base Ball.

A game of base ball will be played at Beacon Hill this afternoon between the Maple Leaf and the Mayflower clubs. Both clubs have been practicing for the last two months and a good game is anticipated. Following are the players and their positions:

MAPLE LEAFS.		MAYFLOWERS.
Haggart	Catcher	Wrigglesworth
Pierre	Pitcher	Askew
Meldrum	1st base	Partridge
Rudge	2nd base	Stark
Evans	3rd base	Baker
Beckingham	Shortstop	Williams
Roberson	Left field	Mansell
Jackson	Center field	Higgins
Mitchell	Right field	Geiger
Dauphin	Substitute	Dearberg

Gambling Den Raided.

The Tacoma police made a raid on Harry Morgan's gambling saloon at 11 o'clock on Monday night. The games were in full blast. As the officers came up the street on a run and turned into the saloon the alarm was sounded and some of Morgan's men began bolting the doors leading into the gambling saloon. It was too late, however. The alert policemen were at the portals before the doors could be secured, and the policemen rushed in, and, with the aid of inside deputies, placed everybody around the gaming tables under arrest. They were quickly marched to Justice Senter's office, forty-five in all.

A Large Transaction.

Messrs. Rand Brothers yesterday made an important sale of a tract of land comprising no less than 5,200 acres situated about 30 miles above Westminster. The property lies along the Fraser river, and comprises open prairie, alder bottoms, and a small portion of timber lands. It was the property of Mr. Henry Mathews, who has owned it for several years. The amount of the purchase money was $31,200 or $6 an acre. The new owners consider the property a very valuable one, and will take immediate steps for its development and to bring it into cultivation. It is stated that they have received offers of $10 and $12 an acre for portions of the tract, and there appears to be no doubt that the whole of it can be disposed of at good figures.

Masonic Honors.

Says the *Columbian*: Before the closing of the grand lodge yesterday it was stated that as Union lodge had dedicated to masonry such a magnificent temple in this city it was desirable that some tangible proof of the grand lodge's appreciation of this noble work should be given, and as Bro. B. Douglas, one of the trustees of the building, and one who had taken a very active and important part in the completion of the work, was not a member of the Grand lodge, he was selected for this mark of distinction, and in accordance with a section of the constitution, which reads as follows: "Brethren of eminence and ability, who have rendered service to the craft, may, by a vote of the Grand lodge, duly confirmed, be constituted members of the Grand lodge, with such rank and distinction as may be thought proper," was constituted member of Grand lodge with the rank of P. Grand Treasurer. We offer our congratulations to Very Worshipful Bro. Douglas, and hope he will long be spared to enjoy the honors so well deserved.

A Good Scoring.

The *Columbian* says editorially: In another column "Civilian" takes the redoubtable but unsavory "Town Major" of the Victoria *Times* to task for perpetrating a most uncalled for, semi-blasphemous and insulting half column of cheap burlesque on a social gathering held recently in this city at the mayor's residence. This "Town Major" of the *Times* has been in the habit of taking a good deal of liberty in an irresponsible sort of way. It is quite a "trick" in journalism which the *Times* has adopted, but our contemporary's alleged military scribe does no honor to the profession of arms. He strikes in the dark and at the backs of the victims whom he has spotted, more like a sneak assassin than a soldier. He smells of the stable, too, and is altogether a sorry specimen, to judge by his effusions, of a retired veteran, except in staleness. We strongly suspect that if the "Major" ever did enjoy the title, he has long since been degraded to the ranks for underhandedness and general breach of decency. The valiant "Major," irresponsible as he is, would not have been suffered, we venture to say, by his masters, for fear of horse-whipping, to perpetrate nearer home what he has been guilty of with respect to a social event in this city. The "Town Major," as the *Times* stated in a leading article recently, for the information of THE COLONIST, is a "free lance." But if he were a Cossack or a Bashi-Bazouk, he must learn to resist the no doubt to him almost irrisistible temptation of making sacriligious and vulgar incursions on what should be considered forbidden ground.

The District Election.

A meeting of the electors of Victoria district will be held at the agricultural hall, South Saanich, this evening at 8 o'clock. This will be the last meeting previous to the election, and every elector in the district should attend.

The Successful Young Lady.

The prize presented by Dr. Helmcken to the most successful young lady attending the High School, was an elegant and valuable table gong, on which the following was artistically engraved by Mr. Crowther, the well known Fort street engraver:

Presented to
Alice Greenwood Lee,
for
General Proficiency,
Victoria High School.
June 1888.

It was much admired by the many visitors who attended the closing exercises, while all, and especially the young ladies interested, extolled the doctor's liberality.

Laid at Rest.

The funeral of Jane, beloved wife of Mr. William Newbury, took place on Tuesday afternoon from the residence, Simcoe street. The deceased was a resident of the city since 1863, and was highly esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances. At the Reformed Church the services were conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge, the organ pealing forth the Dead March as the procession left the church. A large number of relatives and friends of the deceased paid a last mark of respect to the deceased lady The following gentlemen were pall bearers: Noah Shakespeare, S. D. Pope, J. Stannard, C. Bunting, P. J. Leach, and R. L. Fawcett.

Another New Industry on Vancouver Island.

It is the intention, as soon as the survey of a portion of the west coast of the island is accepted at the Lands and Works Department, to open up a slate quarry of very good quality for the purpose of getting out roofing slates, etc. This will be the first slate quarry on the Pacific coast and the gentlemen interested in it have every encouragement to go ahead, roofing slates always being in demand in San Francisco, Seattle, Portland and elsewhere along the coast. Messrs. Geo. Seymour, H. Robson Jones and T. J. Jones are the parties interested, the last named having been in responsible positions in the well known slate region, Penalhyn, Wales.

Paint and Color Factory.

M. L. C. Marshall, representing a Toronto firm, applied to the board of aldermen last evening for a bonus to assist in the establishing of a paint and color factory in Victoria, and stating that if the city was disposed to be liberal in the matter, the firm he represented would be prepared to expend the sum of $12,000 in establishing the factory. The matter was referred to a special committee to report, and it is to be hoped the gentlemen composing the committee will see their way clear to acting liberally, and aiding in the establishment of another industry in our midst. There is no reason why such an institution as a paint factory should not pay in this province. Employment would be furnished for a number of hands, and quite a considerable sum of money which is now sent abroad would be kept at home.

A Celestial Petition.

The Chinese merchants of Victoria have asserted on various occasions their resentment at the treatment accorded them by the Chinese interpreter at this port, and last week forwarded to Ottawa through Mr. E. C. Baker, M. P., a petition setting forth their grievances, signed by thirteen of the principal firms in Chinatown. The standing of these firms was attested to by the President of the Board of Trade and seven of the principal Wharf street merchants. The petition reached Ottawa on Tuesday and it is understood that a telegram was received yesterday at the customs house instructing Assistant Commissioner Parmalee, who is at present in the city, to hold an investigation into the various charges contained in the petition. The latter is probably the first of its kind ever received by a minister of customs, and as it contains the signatures in English of the managers, with the seals of each firm attached, it will no doubt be looked upon as a curiosity.

Fatally Wounded.

On Tuesday afternoon John Rainey and J. H. Fritch brought to Vancouver the body of a man named Robert Chatham, from the North Arm of the Inlet. His face was almost completely blown off by gunshot. The coroner, Dr. McGuigan, held an inquest and the jury viewed the remains at the city hall. John Rainey stated that on Monday night deceased and himself returned from Vancouver to his (Rainey's) house where deceased stayed the night. On Tuesday morning he borrowed a gun and said he was going to shoot some ducks and went out in a skiff. A short time afterwards Rainey heard a shot and a scream, and, taking his boat, found the deceased Robert Chatham lying on his face on some rocks a short distance from the water's edge. He was conscious, but unable to speak, as his jaw was shot away. The gun was by his side with the right barrel discharged. Rainey then went for assistance to his nearest neighbor, Henry A. Fritch, who lived about a mile away. On their return they found Chatham still alive and conscious. They laid him gently in a boat, and, taking another boat, towed him to the city for medical assistance, but the unfortunate man expired when between the brickyard and Hastings, having lived nearly four hours after he was shot. The inquest adjourned until 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

Patti Rosa.

Only a fair sized audience witnessed the late Fred Marsden's great comedy of "Zip," presented at The Victoria last night by Miss Patti-Rosa, and her excellent company. Those who were present, though, thoroughly enjoyed themselves, which is evidence that the lady is deserving of more encouragement from Victoria theatre goers. Unlike many so-called comedy stars who frequently visit this city, Miss Rosa is without doubt an accomplished *artiste*. Her style of acting, too, is enough to show that she is thoroughly up in her profession and she ranks as high as the great Lotta or Minnie Palmer on the American stage. As "Zip" she made a decided hit and was several times called before the curtain. Mr. W. N. Griffiths ably sustained the *role* of "Anthony Weltnot," and Mr. Bert Coote as "Philosophy Jack" created much amusement. Mr. Jos. M. Franconer's "Jules Galletti," the rascally Italian, was as excellent as his "Mr. Victor Dulpins" in "Bob," and his accent was perfect. Mr. Thos. McGrath sustained the dual *role* of "Sir Wm. Elkton" and "Father Phelps" with credit to himself, and Miss Lizzie Hunt and Miss Fannie Jacobs, as "Fannie Elkton" and "Mrs. Elkton" respectively, were thoroughly up in their parts. To-night "Love and Duty" will be given for the first time in Victoria and we trust a large representative audience will be present.

Ice Cream and Ice Cream Soda Water

To-day at the Chicago Candy Store.

Vanderbilt a Bilk.

It is asserted that the young man, Vanderbilt, who gave himself out as being agent for Barrett's four-ring circus, is a fraud, and yesterday endeavored to raise money on the strength of contracts given out by him. A gentleman who arrived in the city saw the reference to Vanderbilt in the paper, and said that he had "worked" Kansas City for a considerable amount, and had bilked several other towns. This getting to the ears of parties having contracts, Vanderbilt did not succeed in duping them. He probably left the city this morning.

Gordon—Denny.

At St. John's church yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, was celebrated the marriage of William Bruce Gordon, eldest son of Capt. William Gordon, formerly of H.M. 63rd Regt., and Mary (Poppie), eldest daughter of William Denny, Esq., all of Victoria. The bride looked charming in a dress of mauve corded silk trimmed with lace, with veil and orange blossoms. There were five bridesmaids, Miss Gordon and Miss Lily May Gordon, sisters of the groom, the Misses Lizzie, Nora and Nellie Denny, sisters of the bride. The three first were attired in cream satin, trimmed with lace, the two latter in white. The groom was supported by Mr. Harry J. Scott and Mr. Wm. Whittaker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. L. Parker in the presence of the immediate friends of the high contracting parties, and it was the general remark that the wedding was a very pretty one. The bride was given away by her father. Mrs. Lombard ably presided at the organ, and as the party proceeded down the aisle played the wedding march with good effect.

The wedding party and guests immediately adjourned to the residence of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of, and the usual felicitous speeches made. The happy couple were the recipients of a numerous array of lovely presents from their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon left for the south by the Alaskan this morning on their honeymoon trip, followed by the good wishes of all for a happy and prosperous wedded career.

RAYMOND EXCURSIONISTS.

A Large Party Arrives on the Alaskan—A Complete List of the Members.

On the steamer Alaskan, which arrived from the Sound last night at 8 o'clock, were Mr. Luther L. Holden, of Boston, Mass., and a party of Raymond excursionists, numbering 46 persons, who are now at the Clarence. It was expected that the party would include ninety-seven people; but Mr. Holden was forced to divide it at Tacoma on account of not being able to secure accommodation here for so large a number. The balance of the party, numbering forty-nine, will arrive Saturday in charge of Mr. C. H. Wilson, of Boston, assisted by Mr. H. G. Hutchins, of Concord, N. H., visiting Seattle and Port Townsend on the way over. After spending a day or two here thirty-nine will take the Ancon for Alaska, the balance returning east with the party already here, and which will leave for the Sound on Saturday morning. On the return the party will go over the Northern Pacific R. R. to St. Paul and Minneapolis, stopping on the way at the National Park for a few days. At St. Paul they will take the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad for the East and stop at Niagara Falls. The party was made up principally at Boston and Philadelphia and started west on May 3rd, and have since visited principal points in Colorado, New Mexico and California. Left San Francisco on the 20th instant, in a special train, and came to Portland by the Mount Shasta route, and after spending several days there came to Tacoma. The cars used are the famous vestibule cars and are the first ever seen on the Pacific coast north of San Francisco. They include the Whitcomb, Holden and the dining car Ponce Deleon.

Mr. Holden, who is well known here as a gentleman of considerable taste and large experience, is ably assisted by Mr. T. C. Drake, of Boston. The names of those included in the party are as follows:

ARRIVALS LAST NIGHT.

Brayton, Mr. Dana D., Fall River, Mass.; Brayton, Mrs. David A., Fall River, Mass.; Brayton, Miss E. H., Fall River, Mass.; Brigham, Mr. and Mrs. L. H., Ludlow, Mass.; Cassady, Mr. and Mrs. C. D., Philadelphia; Chapin, Dr. Amory, New York; Chapin, Mrs. F. J., Providence, R. I.; Clapp, Mrs. S. P., Media, Pa.; Corey, Miss A. J., Brookline, Mass.; Bowen, Mrs. M. E., Buffalo, N. Y.; Corey, Mr. Wm. Kirke, Brookline, Mass.; Cory, Mr. and Mrs., Rochester, N. Y.; Darlington, Miss H. M., West Chester, Pa.; Dean, Miss Annie F., Worcester, Mass.; Decker, Miss Bertha, Elmira, N. Y.; Fitch, Miss F. R., Fitch, Miss S. L., Fitch, Mrs. Wm., Norwich Town, Conn.; Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Charles, Boston Highlands, Mass.; Hillman, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H., Haddonfield, N. J.; Hollinshed, Miss L., Camden, N. J.. Hosmer, Miss Carrie D., Orange, Mass.; Hosmer, Mrs. L., Orange, Mass.; Kenally, Miss Mattie, Elmira, N. Y.; Shove, Miss Ellen M., Fall River, Mass.; Underwood, Mrs. C. A., East Boston, Mass.; Wade, Miss M. A. and Mrs. H. S., Boston, Mass.; Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. J. F., Philadelphia, Pa.; Warnock, Mr. and Mrs. William, Philadelphia, Pa.; Wohnert, Mr. George, jr., Buffalo, N. Y.; Yaeger, Mr. L., Mauch Chunk, Pa.

To-day carriages will be taken for all points of interest in the city and a pleasant time is expected by all the members of the party, who have already heard of our charming drives and lovely scenery. A list of those who will arrive on Saturday will be given in Sunday morning's issue.

BRUTAL ASSAULT.

Chinamen Attack a Section Man on the E. and N. Railway and Wound Him on the Head—Two of Them Arrested.

Since the berrying season began, Mr. Alex. McKenzie, who has charge of the section between Langford Plains and the tunnel on the E. and N. Railway, has been pestered almost beyond endurance by Chinamen who would break down the fences along the line, allowing cattle on the track, causing thereby considerable danger. He repeatedly warned them to keep away and yesterday morning seeing two of the almond-eyed trespassers near his house, ordered them off. He was congratulating himself on having relieved himself of their obnoxious presence, when to his utter surprise a few moments later, he saw them returning accompanied by a reinforcement of hard looking celestials. As soon as the wretches saw him they bore down like a cyclone, laying about them with their basket poles in a most alarming manner. McKenzie ran into the house and secured his gun, which however he did not use, so loathe was he to take a life. Mrs. McKenzie, who was in the house, and an assistant, came to the rescue, but not before McKenzie had received a nasty gash on the side of the head. The Chinese were very vicious and endeavored to trample the section man under foot, tearing his clothes almost from his body. Failing to accomplish their designs, they then retired and word being sent to town Constable Lewis, accompanied by the section man, this side of Langford plains, jumped on a hand-car but got no further than the Four Mile house, when they saw the two instigators of the attack coming down the track. As soon as they saw the officer they left the track and taking to the bush ran down to the brick-yard near Esquimalt, where they were captured after a hard chase and some resistance. They were brought to town and will come before Mr. E. Johnson, S. M., at the Provincial court this morning at 10 o'clock. McKenzie's injuries are not of a very serious nature.

THE POSTAL DELIVERY.

A Few Words of Advice to Those who Expect to Participate in Its Benefits.

Now that the free postal delivery is announced to commence on the 3rd prox., merchants, storekeepers and residents of private houses should avail themselves of every means of making their correspondents and the postal authorities familiar with their addresses, so as to facilitate the work of the carriers and ensure the prompt delivery of letters and papers. To accomplish this, it will be imperatively necessary that every letter writer should write plainly the name of the street on which he resides, and the number of the house; and business men, both wholesale and retail, should have their full address, with name of street and number of house, printed on every letter-head, bill-head, card and envelope which they send out. The printing of the name of the street and the number of the house will entail but a trifling cost, and the outlay will be amply repaid by the speedy delivery of all mail matter to the party addressed. Business men and others who neglect this matter, and leave their address to be guessed at by the letter carriers and the post office clerks, cannot expect to participate in the benefits of the free delivery, for it is not to be expected that the carriers will go from door to door enquiring where such and such a person lives, if the address is not written or printed on the envelope in a legible manner, and all letters and papers, unless so directed, will necessarily remain in the post office, as at present, "until called for," and will be sent to the dead letter office.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Don't fail to see Patti-Rosa to-night in her farewell performance.

The total number of deaths in Victoria during the month of May was 28.

The fine family residence, No. 15 North Park street, is offered for sale. *

The annual picnic of the Nanaimo Methodist Sunday-school will be held at Somenos on Saturday.

The Hicks-Sawyer colored minstrels appear on Friday night. They have the reputation of being first-class.

It is proposed to establish a foundry and machine shops at Nanaimo as soon as the necessary plant can be obtained.

The question of a morning newspaper is being agitated at New Westminster, and a joint stock company is being organized.

The steamer Princess Louise has been chartered by the Black Diamond Lodge of Odd Fellows, of Nanaimo, to carry excursionists to Vancouver on Monday next.

The new spire which is being added to St. John's church is about completed. The carpenter work is finished and the structure is now in the hands of the painters.

The sale of Mr. E. C. Neufelder's household furniture will take place today, Mr. Joshua Davies being the auctioneer. The furniture is almost new and in fine condition.

The time limit for the reception of tenders for the new buildings at the corner of Johnson street and Waddington alley has been extended by L. Buttress Trimen to the 7th of next month.

Excursionists to Vancouver and Seattle *via* the C. P. N. Co.'s steamers have the option of either the Yosemite on Sunday and Monday, or the R. P. Rithet on Sunday at 7 a. m.

J. H. Todd & Son's new steamer will be launched at the Victoria Machinery Depot on Saturday. The vessel is 50 feet long, with 14 feet beam. The engines will be 25-horse power.

The Driard was unable to accommodate the Raymond excursionists last night, "Not a room to be had," being the answer. Other visitors were forced to seek quarters in private lodging houses.

A match game of pool for $50 a side will be played in the Pritchard house to-night between Flynn, of Portland, and Cronn, of Winnipeg. Game will commence at 9 o'clock for the best 11 in 21 games.

The cargo of the bark Bella Vista which cleared at Chemainus for San Francisco, consists of 363 piles, 204,000 laths, 103,000 feet dressed lumber, 2,500 feet dressed lumber and 7 tons scrap iron.

The principal of the high school is in receipt of a letter from the Governor-General's secretary stating that the medals offered for competition by the Governor-General will be forwarded as soon as received from manufacturers in England.

A Nanaimo citizen is authority for the statement that the agent for the steamers "kicked" because of a $9 beef account, spent in that city during the stay of the Zambesi. His instructions were to spend nothing for steamer supplies outside of Vancouver.

The steamer Clara Young arrived from Nanaimo yesterday morning and left again in the afternoon for Canoe Pass with twenty-three Indians, who were transferred from the British American Co.'s cannery, Skeena. The steamer also took up a quantity of lead and other freight for the cannery.

Said Smith: "There is only one man in town that has ever sold me a suit of clothes I couldn't wear out! Of course I don't trade with him any more. That sounds contradictory, but wait a minute. The reason why I couldn't wear the clothes out was, because I couldn't wear them at all, they didn't fit me. I go to GILMORE'S now, his clothes wear out but they're a comfort.

The Hon. Mr. Robson gave the following special prizes at the school exercises on Tuesday:—One book of poems each to the two highest (who tied) in the girls' department, *viz.*, Ruth Pope and E. Edwards. McCauley's history of England, in 6 volumes, to E. Edwards, the pupil who excelled in Canadian history. Eight volumes of poetry to A. Baker, the pupil who stood highest in the junior division of the high school.

MARINE.

The Port Adelaide is due on the 30th instant.

The Zambesi is taking on a cargo of flour at Portland and will sail for Vancouver in a few days.

Nor. bark Olaf. Trygnason was towed to the inlet yesterday afternoon by the tug Alexander, to load lumber for Melbourne.

Ship Lancaster Castle, Capt. Thorpe, completed her cargo of Nanaimo coal yesterday and will sail at once for San Pedro, Cal.

Steamer Amelia is now alongside Welsh, Rithet & Co.'s wharf, where repairs to her engines and boilers will be completed. She will make her first trip to Pedder Bay on the 2nd July.

FRESH arrival of Brussel and tapestry carpets, rugs, linoleum, etc., at John Weiler's. ‡

Strong, Stout Ribbed Cotton Hose for Boy's Wear, a special line at the *City House*. *

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THE BEST CHOICE IN THE PROVINCE.

☞ Special attention called to the Ladies' Fine Langtry Button Boots, and the Gents' Boots and Shoes of

JOHNSTON & MURPHY'S MANUFACTURE---the best on the American Continent,

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H. MANSELL, B. C. BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

Next Door to Van Volkenburgh's Market. No. 95 Government Street.

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PERSONAL.

Geo. Seymour came down from the river yesterday.

Ben. Young will leave for Canoe Pass this morning in the Rithet.

M. M. English will leave this morning on the Rithet for Lulu Island.

Sergt. Sheppard returned from New Westminster on the R. P. Rithet yesterday afternoon.

D. E. Brown, district freight agent of the C. P. R., returned from Portland by the Alaskan.

J. Macmunn leaves this morning on a photographic trip over the C. P. R., as far as Canmore.

Intelligence was received at Belleville that Dr. W. J. Palmer, former principal of the deaf and dumb institute, was dead in the States.

It is rumored that John R. Hall, secretary of the interior, will be made superintendent of Banff National Park, and will be succeeded by P. B. Douglas.

Miss Ira Chalmers arrived from Kircaldy, Scotland, on Tuesday night, and is a guest at Mrs. H. Saunders. She is a niece of W. H. Dempster, Aberdeen, and leaves for that point on the Boscowitz.

Mdme. Christin de La Mothe intends visiting San Francisco by the steamer of the 30th inst., and wishes to notify her pupils that she will return about the middle of August next. *3t

J. E. Johnston, late editor and proprietor of the Leamington *Post*, has bought the Essex Centre *Liberal* from Mr. J. M. Kennedy, and will become its editor on July 1st. The paper will be independent in politics.

W. D. Leseueur, assistant secretary of the postoffice department, becomes secretary, consequent upon Mr. White's promotion to the deputy postmaster-generalship. The office of assistant secretary will be abolished.

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